



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 218

LCO No. 1206

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:
(PH)

AN ACT REQUIRING THE TESTING OF INMATES FOR TUBERCULOSIS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2002*) (a) As used in this
2 section:

3 (1) "Active tuberculosis" shall have the same meaning as "active
4 tuberculosis", as defined in subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section
5 19a-265 of the general statutes; and

6 (2) "Infectious tuberculosis" shall have the same meaning as
7 "infectious tuberculosis", as defined in subdivision (2) of subsection (a)
8 of section 19a-265 of the general statutes.

9 (b) Any person who is convicted of an offense and sentenced to a
10 term of confinement, shall, as a condition of such sentence, have a test
11 to determine if such person has active or infectious tuberculosis. Any
12 person testing positive for active or infectious tuberculosis shall be
13 subject to the provisions of sections 19a-255, 19a-256 and 19a-262 to
14 19a-265, inclusive, of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2002</i>

PH *Joint Favorable*

JUD *Joint Favorable*